

## REPUBLICANS FIRM FOR TWO STATES

House Caucus Stands by Its Vote of Last April.

### THIRTY-THREE STAND OUT

Bill May Be Held in Committee and Effort Made to Whip Recalcitrants.

The House Republicans will stand by the plan they adopted last April to admit as two States the four Territories of New Mexico and Arizona and Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

In a three-hour caucus yesterday afternoon, amid the cracking of the party whip and after a heated and prolonged debate, the majority Representatives, by a vote of 112 to 33, decided to hold to their original proposition at any cost, and to refuse to concur with the Senate amendments admitting Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one State, New Mexico as a single State, and leaving Arizona to come in at a later date.

#### Two-State Doctrine.

As was foreseen yesterday morning, the Republicans in the House will hold to their two-State doctrine even at the expense of relegating the Statehood bill to oblivion and necessitating taking up the subject all over again during the next Congress.

Speaker Cannon was especially active in yesterday's caucus, addressing his cohorts twice in order to impress on them the importance of holding to their original plan. He said that the Senate to ram a different proposition down their throats. A resolution, framed by him, and offered by Representative Tawney, was adopted by the caucus, 112 to 33, as follows:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this conference that the action and posture of the Republican caucus, held April 15, 1904, touching the admission of Oklahoma and the Indian Territory as one State and New Mexico and Arizona as one State, as provided in the bill of the House, No. 1479, which bill has been amended by the Senate and is now pending in the House Committee on Territories, be insisted upon, and that we insist on such parliamentary proceedings as can be had by a majority of the House, or a special order as can be made and adopted by the majority of the House, under which the aforesaid policy of the Republicans of the House will be worked out."

#### May Hang in Committee.

The probabilities are that this rule will keep the bill before its committee in the House until the thirty-third of March, when the House will vote on the resolution and thus signify their intention to go with the Democrats, have come back from their search after strange gods and have signified their intention of assuring the majority a real, reliable majority on the vote.

The result of this is that the chance for Statehood looks exceedingly slight, as it is doubtful whether the thirty-three deserters will soon come back into the Republican fold on this proposition.

#### Caucus Vote Binding.

This was done to remind the wandering thirty-three that the caucus of last April is still binding. At that time the House Republicans voted on record in caucus and by their votes in the House as favoring the two-State proposition. The debate was spirited during the three hours that the thirty-three deserters were made by the following well-known Republicans:

Delegate Roddy of New Mexico, Messrs. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Hamilton of Michigan, chairman of the Committee on Territories, and Powers of Maine, Delegate McGuire of Oklahoma, Hepburn, Tawney, Needham, Brick, and Gaines of West Virginia.

### MRS. CONDON DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Mrs. Alice S. Condon, seventy years old, died at the Emergency Hospital about 10:30 o'clock this morning as the result of injuries which she received when she fell to the ice-clad asphalt on M street, near Fifteenth street, December 12.

Coroner Nevitt was informed of her demise, but it is not known what action he will take in the matter.

### ANTI-PLATT PETITION GOES TO COMMITTEE

The petition of C. W. Post, of this city, asking for the expulsion from the Senate of Senator T. C. Platt of New York, was presented in the Senate today by President pro tem. Frye and was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Post charges that Senator Platt, as head of the United States Express Company, is a party to a combination among express companies to monopolize the business in violation of the anti-trust law.

### NEGRO WAS UNCONSCIOUS AND TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

According to the reports of the Fourth precinct police, Elmore Hospital was taken to the Emergency Hospital from 223 Louse alley southwest, last night, suffering from alcoholism.

He was restored to consciousness by the use of stomach pumps and restoratives, and then went to his home, 128 C street southwest.

### KILLED A SNAKE IN SNOW.

BERLIN, N. J., Feb. 11.—John Blaise, a milkman, was astonished to see a snake crawling out of the snow along the road near here. Blaise killed the snake and brought it into town as evidence.

Afraid of Strong Medicines. Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain can be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine internally. The Rev. Mrs. Parker of Magnolia, North Carolina, suffered for eight years with a lame hip, due to severe rheumatism. He has been permanently cured by the free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by all druggists.

## Smuggled Chinamen Escape in Big Sleigh

Man Who Was Bringing Them Across the Canadian Border Is Caught by Immigration Inspectors After a Thrilling Chase.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Feb. 11.—News has reached here of a daring attempt, which was foiled, to bring Chinese into this country from Canada. One man is under arrest.

Inspectors were notified that a man had started from Douglas Corners with the Chinese. Five inspectors proceeded to Dewey's Corners with sleighs and dogs and waited until 2 o'clock in the morning.

A sleigh filled with Chinese Love in sight followed by a small cutter containing one man. The inspectors barred the road and ordered the strangers to halt.

### ATTACHMENT ISSUED FOR POLICEMAN ROPER

Court Not Satisfied With Forfeit of Collateral on Cruelty Charge.

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### DRIVER OF HACK HURT IN COLLISION WITH WAGON

Colliding with a hack at the entrance of the Government Asylum for the Insane, on Nicholas avenue, Anacostia, a wagon driven by James E. Conates, a negro, was overturned, and damaged to the extent of \$10.

The hack was in charge of John Larner, another negro, who was thrown from the seat and received several painful cuts about the head and bruises on his body. He went to his home, 1239 Eleventh street, without assistance.

### COURT NOW REFUSES TO APPOINT RECEIVER.

Justice Stafford, in Equity Court No. 2, after hearing the answer of the Washington Steel Cut Cereal Company to the rule against it to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed on the petition of George A. Webster, discharged the rule, the court holding that sufficient cause had not been shown for such appointment.

The response showed the company's financial condition was most satisfactory. Mr. Webster had been its general manager.

The complaint was allowed thirty days by the court in which to file an amended petition.

### It Is Wrong

To Suffer From a Germ Disease. Ask Us for Liquezone--Free

Those who suffer from germ troubles, and who do not use Liquezone, are wronging themselves. You will know how much when you try it. Most of these troubles are so unnecessary—so easily cured—it is wrong to let them continue.

What reason can one find to hesitate? A trial of Liquezone costs not a penny. We will gladly buy the first bottle for any new user, and pay the druggist our own price for it. Won't you—if you need it—accept that gift?

Liquezone is not unknown now—not at all. It has cured millions of germ troubles—troubles that drugs can't cure. There is no neighborhood—no hamlet so remote—that has not instances of what Liquezone has done. "The cure" ones are everywhere; doubtless some of your friends are among them.

You will regret these days of waiting when you learn what Liquezone does. You will wish you had abandoned wrong methods and tried the right one sooner. Please ask about Liquezone today.

### Not Medicine.

Liquezone is not made, like medicine, by compounding acids and drugs; nor is there any alcohol in it. Its virtues are derived solely from gas, made in large part from the best oxygen producers. The process of making takes fourteen days, and requires immense apparatus.

At the end of two weeks, we get one cubic inch of Liquezone for each 1,250 cubic inches of gas used. The attainment of this product has, for more than twenty years, been the constant subject of scientific and chemical research.

The main result is, to get into a liquid, and thus into the blood, a powerful, yet harmless germicide. And the product is so helpful—so good for you under any condition—that even a well person feels its instant benefit.

This is the product which in the past two years has sprung into worldwide use in the treatment of germ diseases. It is now used by the sick of

Instead of obeying the two sleighs were quickly wheeled about and started back in the direction of Canada with the officers in pursuit. One of the officers fired several shots at the speeding sleighs.

When it became evident that the officers would soon overtake the heavy sleigh, the man in the small cutter, leaning far over to one side, overturned his sleigh in the middle of the road. The inspectors' sleigh was close behind, and there was no time to turn out. In another instant the officers were sprawling in the snow on top of the man and his wreck. In the meantime the Chinese escaped.

### STATUS OF A LODGE OF FORMIDABLE NAME

Superintendent of Insurance Waives the Title, But Wants to Know Its Objects.

Superintendent Drake, of the Insurance Department of the District, is not quite sure whether "The Virginia, Maryland, and District of Columbia Grand Tabernacle, No. 2, G. G. A. O. F. B. and S. of Love and Charity," is a fraternal society or not. He does not say whether his doubt is founded on ignorance of the meaning of that portion of the alphabet adopted by the organization, but he wants to know whether the society is amenable to the District life insurance law.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Stephens has submitted an opinion on the subject, holding that the organization is entitled to the benefit of the fraternal law. If it can establish the fact that it is conducted for the sole benefit of its members, and not for profit, that it is a ritual, lodge system, and representative form of government, and that, if it is an association similar to the Masons, Odd Fellows, etc., its principal object is not the issuance of benefit certificates of membership in case of death, or the payment of sick, funeral or death benefits exceeding in amount \$100.

### CABINET MEMBERS HAND IN RESIGNATIONS

It was announced at the White House today that the members of the Cabinet have all tendered their resignations, but on March 6 they will all be nominated for reappointment with the exception of Mr. Wynne, who is to be appointed consul general at London. Mr. Cortelyou will be nominated on March 6 to be Postmaster General.

### TREATY WITH JAPAN SIGNED BY MR. HAY

A treaty of arbitration with Japan was signed at the State Department today by Secretary Hay and Minister Takahira.

### BEQUESTS IN THE WILL OF THOMAS KINNEY

Thomas Kinney, by his will, dated June 15, 1903, offered for probate, directs the following disposition of his estate: To his wife, Ellen Isabel Kinney, premises 300 H street northwest, and lot 23 in square 117, and lot 146 in square 860; to his niece, Mary Bernadette Foley, lot 42 in square 339.

The remainder of his estate is left to his wife.

The will of Julius L. Schlueter, dated April 11 last, was also offered for probate. With the exception of \$5 bequeathed to two daughters, he leaves his estate to his wife, Anna E. Schlueter, who is named executrix.

### HEPBURN OF IOWA GOT A LOVING CUP

Remembered by Colleagues of House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

In the presence of the Speaker of the House, Col. William H. Hepburn, chairman of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, was today presented with a handsome silver loving cup by the members of his committee as a token of their affection for him.

The scene of the presentation in the Commerce Committee room was affecting to all degree. Colonel Hepburn's speech of acceptance was made in a low, earnest tone, with frequent pauses, during which absolute silence pervaded the room.

### Express Esteem.

Nearly all the members of the committee, together with Mr. Cannon, spoke, expressing their esteem for the chairman and their confidence in his worth and integrity.

"We who went to Panama with you last fall," said Mr. Mann of Illinois, "wished to present you with something which Mrs. Hepburn might also possess, and to that end we chose this loving cup."

"We did this because during that trip we all learned to love Mrs. Hepburn as we had never done before," said Mr. Adamson of Georgia, "is our answer to all the accusations that have been made against you by certain parties. It is a token of our confidence in you, a great man."

Mr. Cannon spoke briefly, praising Colonel Hepburn as a fine, true man, and a good fighter.

"This is a great committee which you lead," he continued, "it is a great committee because it shapes policies that will last for years, and generations. And you and the committee have done, and are doing, your great work in great fashion."

All the speeches praised Colonel Hepburn as a "strong, sincere, broad-minded man."

In accepting the cup, Colonel Hepburn called attention to the fact that he has had much work to do of late, and has had "defamatory accusations" brought against him.

"Coming at this time as it does," he concluded, "I regard it as your answer to all the accusations. And it is the more valuable because you are the men who know me best, and know what I have done and tried to do."

"I will always be in your eyesight and in our memories as a dear possession," he said, "and I will be for me, it is dear. Proving your esteem for me, it is priceless."

### NO WAITING UPON COUNSEL; POSTAL TRIAL TO BE SET

District Attorney Beach has received a letter from John G. Carlisle, of New York, counsel for William G. Crawford, under indictment with Machen and Lorenson for conspiracy to defraud the Government, informing him he would not be able to enter into a trial of the case for probably two months.

It is also understood that A. S. Worthington, who will also appear as counsel for Crawford, has professional engagements which will occupy his time and attention for nearly sixty days.

In discussing the matter Mr. Beach said, while he would like to accommodate Messrs. Carlisle and Worthington, he did not see his way to postpone the trial of the case for two months.

He says he will endeavor to have the case set for trial at as early a date as is practicable.

### FINEST COLLECTION OF ELK TEETH STOLEN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 11.—The room of E. R. Feiz, a Chicago jewelry salesman at a local hotel, was entered by clever thieves last night, and robbed of all his samples, including the finest collection of Elk teeth in the United States.

The missing articles are valued at \$5,000, and included diamond rings, watches, and miscellaneous articles.

### CAR AND MAIL WAGON COLLIDE; DRIVER HURT

Upset in a collision with a street car at Sixth street and Missouri avenue northwest, a United States mail wagon, with two horses attached, and in charge of Robert Hunt, was damaged to the extent of \$25, late yesterday afternoon. Hunt was thrown from his seat, and landed on his side, but was not so seriously injured that he could not go to his home at 8 C street northwest.

The car was going south on Sixth street at the time of the accident, and the mail wagon was near the Pennsylvania station. The fender of the car was damaged slightly, and traffic was blocked until the wagon was set to rights, and tumbled off the tracks.

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### FIRST INCORPORATION UNDER THE NEW LAW

Concern Pays the Minimum Fee of \$25 and Has 10 Per Cent of Capital Stock Paid In.

The first certificate of incorporation, showing the organization of a local business enterprise under the new incorporation law in the District was filed yesterday afternoon, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds. The name of the corporation is the Raeburn-Garner Coal Company, and is capitalized at \$40,000.

Although the new incorporation law became operative a week ago it was not until yesterday that a certificate of incorporation had been filed in accordance with its terms.

The day before the new law was signed by the President certificates of incorporation were offered for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in batches ranging from ten to seventy-two, and in nearly every instance, capital stock was more than \$50,000, and ranged from that amount up to \$10,000,000.

On Monday last a certificate of incorporation was offered for record, but was withdrawn when Deputy Recorder of Deeds Dutton demanded proof that 10 per cent of the capital stock had been paid in, and that a fee of \$40 be forthcoming. The concern referred to was capitalized at \$1,000,000.

The tax fee on the Raeburn-Garner Coal Company was \$25, the minimum fee under the new law. The articles of incorporation were presented by Attorney Joseph A. Burkart, who submitted to Mr. Dutton a certificate of deposit of a local bank to show that 10 per cent of the capital stock of the corporation had been actually paid, and was under the control of the promoters of the enterprise.

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### Now, Says Bryan: "HELP ROOSEVELT"

Peerless Leader Declares President's Rate Bill Ideas Will Bring Grief to the Democrats.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—Under the caption "Democrats Should Help," Mr. Bryan says in the Commoner to Democrats:

"Do not worry about the President 'stealing' Democratic thunder. If the Democrats help to secure remedial legislation the country will enjoy the benefit of the Democratic party will share in the credit."

"If the President accomplishes anything the corporations will try to secure a corporation man to succeed him, and that will give life to the next campaign and hope to the Democratic party. If the President fails to accomplish anything, the Democratic party will profit by his educational work."

### POLICEMAN AND GARDNER PUT OUT THE FIRE

Forty dollars' damage was caused in Frank L. Schultz's greenhouse, at Sherman avenue and Farago street, Brightwood, by fire early this morning.

Policeman Verr, of the Tenth precinct, saw a bright light shining through the glass over the house, and upon investigation discovered that a small stove had upset or exploded and started a fire.

Mr. Schultz, who lives at 335 Sherman avenue northwest, was informed of the fire, and assisted in extinguishing the blaze. There was no insurance.

### Did the Man With the Camera Catch You? If He Did There is Money for You. See tomorrow's Sunday Times.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1.00, consisting of an inhaler, dropper, and sufficient Hyomei to last several weeks. This will effect a cure in ordinary cases, but for chronic and deep-seated cases of catarrh, longer use may be necessary, and then extra bottles of Hyomei can be obtained for 50c.

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### LETTERS DID NOT REACH CARROLL

Notice of Appointment Returned to Sender.

### MARKED IN RED INK "DEAD"

George D. Carroll, formerly a resident of Washington, and a private in the Marine Corps, will not get a place in the Interstate Commerce Commission. He has long been waiting for, though Chief Clerk Connolly has been trying for several weeks to locate him and notify him of his appointment.

The letters sent out by the chief clerk were returned to the offices of the commission today, and across them was written in red ink, "dead."

Carroll formerly lived at 824 D street southeast, and while at the Washington Barracks acted as a clerk. He took the civil service examination several months ago and passed. He waited a number of weeks after his time expired for an appointment, but it did not come. Then he had to re-enlist, and was sent to Norfolk.

Then he was taken sick, and the last Connolly heard of him he had been removed to the hospital.

### KILLS GERMS OF CATARRH.

Hyomei Goes to the Root of the Disease and Makes Astonishing Cures.

Catarrh cannot be cured by the use of pills, liquid medicines, and so-called system tonics. Under such treatment the germs of the disease will still live in the air passages and increase and multiply.

Hyomei is the only scientific and thorough way to cure catarrh. Killing the germs in the air passages, it enters the blood with the oxygen, destroys the microbes in the blood, and effectually drives from the system all traces of catarrhal poison.

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### Valentines

The Palais Royal prices will make men open their eyes in wonder—the men who are only familiar with the prices asked at the stationery and cigar stores.

### Mail Them Here Monday

Pen, ink, and stamps furnished here. The Palais Royal Valentines are conveniently located near the 11th street door, on tables, so that selections may be made with ease and comfort. Prices range from 1c to \$2.98—for Valentine Cards, Valentine Stationery, Valentine Postals, Valentine Books. The new Valentine is a book, daintily bound and tied with ribbon to which a valentine is attached, boxed ready for mailing.

### See Sunday Times, Page 7

Giant bargains will be told of on page 7 of tomorrow's Times. Is it not a fact—that a cash business enables more bargains in a month than in a credit store in a year? Read The Palais Royal's advertisements daily—and you'll be thoroughly convinced.

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